

Sale of Hartford Club Denied: Giants Gain When Cardinals Beat Braves

EDITED BY WAGNER.

GIANTS IN FORM DEFEAT CUBS EASILY

Chicago, Aug. 28.—One vicious attack of the Giants was enough to beat the Cubs yesterday in the opening battle of this very serious series. All that Jeff Teareau needed to win his game were the four runs his mates pounded home for him in a third inning assault. President Tener of the National League, who was in the clubhouse to see the game, showed up to view what they supposed were the remains of McGraw's three time champions, and all of these said spectators left the grounds two hours later wondering how the Giants ever had dropped to within hailing distance of any other club in the National League.

PLAYERS WHO FOUGHT ARE GIVEN FINES

owing to the closeness of the National League race and his desire not to weaken any of the contending National League teams, President Tener of the National League decided yesterday not to suspend any of the players involved in the general fist fight in Chicago last Wednesday, in which Zimmerman, Evers, Maranville and Schmidt were the participants.

Tener, however, slapped a fine of \$100 each on Zimmerman and Evers, who started the row, and placed a \$50 penalty on Maranville. Butcher Schmidt, evidently was vindicated of any crime or misdemeanor, as he went scot-free.

Reports of umpires Quigley and Egan name Heinie Zimmerman as the instigator of the rough house, and that Zimmerman tried to knock the ball out of Evers' hands. Then when Johnny Taggart hit him in the face Heinie got a "flurry of temper" and went after his former manager's son. The umpire said that the newspaper reports of the war were exaggerated.

ST. MARY'S ATTENTION! All members of the St. Mary's Holy Name Society, ball team are requested to report at Newfield park Saturday for the scheduled game with the Brooklowns, at 1:30 o'clock. W. Slattery, Donnelly, Townsend, McElroy, Schorndorf, Wells, Herlan, Toie, Halpin, H. Slattery, Marion, Conroy, Weber.

Bridge Commissioner Kracke announced he would not accept the nomination for Congress in the Sixth district of Brooklyn to succeed William M. Calder.

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JIM CLARKIN DENIES HE WILL SELL THE HARTFORD CLUB

Bridgeport Football Stars May Lose Places With New Haven Elevens

(By Wagner.)
Owner James H. Clarkin spikes the rumor that he intends to sell the Hartford club. He claims the club has always been a money maker for him and he would not part with the franchise unless he received a big price. Clarkin declares Hartford is one of the best baseball towns in Class B company and with a first division team is sure to attract paying patrons. Clarkin's health has been poor and for that reason he could not take an active interest in baseball this year.

While Boston and St. Louis were cutting each other's throats yesterday the Giants were thrashing Chicago. So McGraw's bunch gained on their closely bunched rivals. They now have a lead over St. Louis, which slipped into second place by beating Boston. The Giants showed some of their early season skill but it must be remembered that they were not battling against one of Chicago's best pitchers, Charley Smith, who worked yesterday. As about to be discarded by the Cubs, McGraw's cohorts still have to face Cheney and Vaughan. But New York that Boston is up against St. Louis.

The Waterbury club has signed Gus Zelnier, the veteran shortstop released by New Britain. He played yesterday but didn't get a hit.

Hartford gave New London an awful beating yesterday. If the Senators could have exhibited some of that power early in the season the Yankees might not have enjoyed a runaway.

The Pittsfield club, which has been going at a fast clip lately, will be here Sunday for a double header. The first game will be called at 2 p. m. Walsh and Tuckey will probably work for the Bolts.

Manager Boltes made a clever one hand stop that robbed Jack Egan of a

Runs Made This Week.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.	
Chicago	13
New York	13
Boston	11
Pittsburgh	7
Brooklyn	7
Cincinnati	7
Philadelphia	5
St. Louis	4

AMERICAN LEAGUE.	
Philadelphia	34
Boston	22
Detroit	20
New York	16
St. Louis	10
Cleveland	9
Washington	6
Chicago	3

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.	
Toronto	36
Buffalo	18
Montreal	18
Baltimore	14
Jersey City	10
Pittsburgh	10
Providence	10
Newark	6

EASTERN ASSOCIATION.	
Hartford	23
New Haven	20
New London	18
Bridgeport	18
Waterbury	13
Pittsfield	11
Springfield	9
New Britain	7

FEDERAL LEAGUE.	
Brooklyn	20
Indianapolis	19
Buffalo	17
Baltimore	6
Chicago	5
St. Louis	4
Pittsburgh	4
Kansas City	3

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.
New York, 8; Chicago, 2.
Cincinnati, 8; Philadelphia, 2.
St. Louis, 3; Boston, 2 (10 innings).
Brooklyn, 1; Pittsburgh, 0 (10 innings).

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.			
	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	61	49	.556
St. Louis	54	54	.500
Boston	60	51	.541
Chicago	60	55	.522
Cincinnati	53	60	.469
Brooklyn	52	61	.460
Philadelphia	51	60	.458
Pittsburgh	51	62	.451

GAMES TODAY.
New York in Chicago.
Brooklyn in Pittsburgh.
Philadelphia in Cincinnati.
Boston in St. Louis.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.
Philadelphia, 6; Chicago, 1.
Boston, 3; Detroit, 2.
St. Louis, 5; New York, 4 (12 innings).
Washington, 1; Cleveland, 0 (first 10 innings).
Washington, 3; Cleveland, 3 (second 14 innings).

Washington, 1; Cleveland, 0 (first
10 innings).
Washington, 3; Cleveland, 2 (second
14 innings).

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	80	37	.684
Boston	66	48	.579
Washington	61	54	.530
Detroit	59	59	.500

GAMES TODAY.
St. Louis in New York.
Chicago in Philadelphia.
Detroit in Boston.
Cleveland in Washington.

hit yesterday. In the second inning Egan hit between third and shortstop but Jake ran over, took the ball on the run and threw to second for a force play.

Buster Bowman struck some hard blows but couldn't get a safety. He and Kerns were the only ones who didn't break into the hit column, although Kerns had two sacrifice flies.

The proposed invasion of Cuba by the Cincinnati club next fall will probably be called off. The cigar factories in Cuba have been closed, throwing 30,000 men out of work and as these employees are the principal patrons of the game, the trip would be a fizzle.

Joe Rivers, who recently lost a bout to Leach Cross, is threatened with a jail sentence in California for auto speeding. He has been arrested four times.

President Tener of the National League acted wisely in not suspending the Chicago and Boston players who participated in the fight in Chicago. The battle did not amount to much anyway, and it would have lessened the fans' enthusiasm if the Cubs and Braves had to continue their fight for the flag with weakened teams.

The saddest words of tongue or pen. Bunny Ford and K. O. Palitz will fight again. They are slated to meet in Winsted tonight. We give you this tip so you can keep away from Winsted.

The Washington Glee and Annex football elevens of New Haven will meet next week to play for the coming season. They have decided to use only New Haven players. It was found that bringing high priced stars from other cities killed interest. This may be of good job. They were with the Glee eleven last season.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.	
YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.	
Jersey City, 1; Buffalo, 0.	
Toronto, 6; Newark, 1.	
Rochester, 4; Providence, 1.	
Montreal, 5; Baltimore, 5.	

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.
Won. Lost. P.C.
Providence 70 50 .583
Rochester 71 51 .582
Baltimore 67 51 .568
Buffalo 67 52 .563
Toronto 60 58 .508
Newark 57 60 .487
Montreal 48 74 .393
Jersey City 37 51 .421

GAMES TODAY.
Jersey City in Buffalo.
Newark in Toronto.
Providence in Rochester.
Baltimore in Montreal.

EASTERN ASSOCIATION

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.	
Bridgeport, 2; New Britain, 0.	
Waterbury, 7; New Haven, 0.	
Springfield, 8; Pittsfield, 3.	
Hartford, 9; New London, 0.	

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.
Won. Lost. P.C.
New London 71 32 .689
Waterbury 63 43 .594
Bridgeport 56 49 .534
Hartford 54 50 .519
Springfield 54 54 .500
Pittsfield 48 54 .470
New Haven 48 55 .465
New Britain 24 82 .224

GAMES TODAY.
New Haven in Bridgeport.
Springfield in Pittsfield.
Hartford in New London.
New Britain in Waterbury.

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.
Brooklyn, 7; Buffalo, 5.
Baltimore, 4; Pittsburgh, 3.
St. Louis, 3; Chicago, 3 (10 innings; rain).

Indianapolis	65	49	.570
Chicago	63	51	.553
Baltimore	60	52	.536
Buffalo	56	55	.509
Brooklyn	58	57	.504
Kansas City	54	62	.466
St. Louis	52	64	.448
Pittsburgh	46	65	.414

GAMES TODAY.

Buffalo in Brooklyn.
Pittsburgh in Baltimore.

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Pittsburgh in Baltimore.
Chicago in St. Louis.
Indianapolis in Kansas City.

AMERICAN FIGHTERS

QUITTING AUSTRALIA
Apparently Australia is losing its attractiveness for American boxers, judging by the way the wanderers are packing home. The middleweights in particular are deserting the land of the kangaroo at a rate that is giving Promoter Snowy Baker cause for worry. Ever since Baker organized the chain of clubs in all the big cities on the island continent, he has relied upon American talent to supply matches. Now that the stars are leaving the boxing boom in that country is in danger of collapsing.

Baker has just formulated a rule whereby any visiting boxer who has resided in the country for one year is rendered eligible to compete for the championship of Australia. By this means he hopes to keep a supply of talent on hand without going to the expense of importing new men for every match.

As a press agent, the Australian is in a class by himself. In order to keep Australia to the fore, one of his schemes is to send out at the end of each month an account of the pugilistic happenings in the Antipodes.

M'CABE DOES WELL IN BOX FOR OUR BOYS

(By Wagner.)
The New Britain Sinks are well named. They can sink quicker and with less fuss and feathers than any team we have inspected in recent years. Yesterday they visited Newfield park and went through the motions for over an hour. At the finish Bridgeport had piled up nine runs and New Britain had a large, round zero.

Young McCabe, who gets his mail in Mamaroneck, N. Y., kidded the tall-enders along for the whole route. He gave them ten hits but absolutely refused to allow any scoring. In the eighth he sinks had the bases loaded with none out but the next three men couldn't get a ball out of the diamond.

McCabe fanned seven and didn't give a pass. John Hancock, who officiated for New Britain, fooled the Bolts for two innings. In the third the locals jumped on him for a couple of tallies and in the fourth they rang up five. Bob by Stow enthused the spectators by his dazzling fielding, the youngster accepted 13 chances. Hallman, Boultie, Senno and Ems excelled in batting. They each gathered two blows.

Two local boys were with New Britain. Tommy Bowden romped around shortstop in place of the veteran Zelnier, who has been released. Bowden, my fielded cleverly but could not hit safely. Jack Egan caught his usual good game. He was unable to do much with McCabe, however. The score:

BRIDGEPORT.	
ab. r. lb. po. a. e.	
Stow, ss.	4 2 1 1 0 0
Bowman, 2b.	5 1 0 1 3 0
Senno, 1b.	5 0 2 1 0 0
Hall, rf.	4 2 2 1 0 0
Boultie, 3b.	4 2 1 2 0 0
Ems, lb.	3 1 1 10 0 0
Tierney, cf.	4 0 1 0 1 0
Kerns, c.	4 0 0 8 0 0
McCabe, p.	3 2 1 1 3 0
Totals.	35 9 10 27 17 0

NEW BRITAIN.	
ab. r. lb. po. a. e.	
Dawson, lf.	4 0 1 1 0 0
Tetrault, cf.	4 0 1 3 0 0
Tark, 2b.	4 0 2 0 6 1
Jork, 3b.	4 0 0 2 0 0
Noyes, 3b.	4 0 2 2 0 0
Heath, lb.	4 0 3 8 1 0
Bowden, ss.	4 0 0 4 2 1
Egan, c.	4 0 0 4 0 0
Hancock, p.	4 0 1 0 3 1
Totals.	36 0 10 24 12 3

Two base hits, Senno, Clark, Boultie, Hall, Heath, Stolen bases, Boultie, Tierney, Bowden, Sacrifice hits, Kerns 2. First on balls, off Hancock 4. Struck out, by Hancock 3; by McCabe 6. Left on bases, Bridgeport 3; New Britain 5. First base on errors, Bridgeport 2. Time 1:30. Umpire, Daly.

TWO GAMES AT NEWFIELD.
PARK TOMORROW.
Through the courtesy of Owner John H. Freeman, of the Bridgeport team, and President Tom F. Magner, the Park City league has been enabled to secure Newfield Park for tomorrow afternoon, and two games will be played there, beginning at 2:00 and 4:00 p. m.

The first game will bring together the St. Mary and Brooklawn teams, and in the last set to the Western and St. Patrick teams will clash. Ambrose Howell will umpire both contests, and Bob Graether will score. Games will be called sharp at their respective hours.
The kindly offer of Mr. Freeman comes at a time when it is deeply appreciated by the league, and shows he is in favor of encouraging clean baseball by lending his aid to the fastest league ever organized in the city. So turn out tomorrow and encourage the boys, as it has been a hard struggle all season to make both ends meet, and the treasury is in need of replenishing, with expenses of \$20 each week in the league, and collections being almost nothing.

ANNIVERSARIES OF RING BATTLES

1893—Benny Chavez, Mexican boxer, born at Wagon Mound, New Mexico. Benny's real name is Epimenio Gonzales, but he adopted the moniker of Chavez when he entered the ring in 1911. The Mexican had fought his first battles in Trinidad, Colo., and surrounding towns, and of his first ten ring engagements he won eight by knockouts. Benny tackled his first big game late in 1911, when Patsy Brannigan, the eastern featherweight, visited Trinidad. After staying 9 rounds with the Irishman Chavez drifted off into dreamland. The Mexican continued his efforts to emulate Senor Rivers and Senor Herrera, and when Patsy Brannigan again visited Colorado in 1913 he was defeated by Chavez in a 10-round bout at Denver. A little later Benny attained a national reputation by beating Frankie Conley and holding Frankie Burns to a draw, and he was matched with Eddie Campi for a 20-round bout at Los Angeles. Chavez traveled the distance, but lost the decision.
1892—Billy Smith and Joe Goddard fought 8-round draw at San Francisco.
1896—Joe Chojnski knocked out Joe Acapulito in 4th round at San Francisco.

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BRAVES LOSE AND DROP TO THIRD PLACE

St. Louis, Aug. 28.—The St. Louis Cardinals climbed into second place yesterday when they upset the Boston Braves in the first game of the series by a score of 3 to 2. The game went ten innings. Cozy Dolan chasing Lee Magee home from first base with a long double against the left field fence. Magee opened the inning with a single, his third hit.

The game was a nip and tuck battle between the two close rivals, and was played under the worst possible conditions, as a drizzling rain fell throughout the entire fracas.
Huggins opposed the Braves with Hub Perdue, a former team mate, and all the Boston runs scored off him were unearned. Snyder batted for Perdue in the seventh, and Griner, who finished the game, received credit for the victory. Dick Rudolph pitched the entire game for Boston, and was hit pretty hard, as the Cardinals made eleven hits. The great Boston trio seems to be feeling the effects of overwork.

KEATING PITCHES WELL BUT LOSES

After more than three hours of beating around the bush, Branch Rickey's St. Louis Browns beat the Yankees at the Polo Grounds yesterday by a score of 5 to 4. The end came in the twelfth inning, when Jimmy Austin did some alert base running and got around to third, from whence Derrill Pratt scored him with a nifty poke to right field.

Some time previous to these proceedings the Yankees had every intention of winning the game. Ray Keating pitched five innings and the Browns obtained only one hit. He got wobbly in the sixth and the Browns scored a couple of runs. In the seventh Manager Chance took him out and put in Marty McHale, which showed that Manager Chance, in making this change, went from bad to worse.

McHale didn't last long, and when he made his high leave over first base, which tied the score, Fisher came to the rescue. Before the game was over Warhop also took a hand in the affair. All the pitchers were shamed in presumably so that the blame could be distributed among the whole staff.

ONLY EIGHT LEFT IN NEWPORT TENNIS

Newport, R. I., Aug. 28.—Play in the fourth annual tournament for the lawn tennis championship of the United States, which was brought to the completion of the fifth round, cut the original draw of 32 down to 8. San Francisco, Philadelphia, and New York are the only cities now having representatives left in the fray. New York has two of the eight, Karl Behr and Gustave F. Touchard, while the other two cities have three each. Maurice McLoughlin, Clarence J. Griffin, and Ella Fottrell have the colors of the West to uphold, and R. Norris Williams 2d, W. J. Clothier and W. F. Johnston will strive for the Quaker City.

CHICK WEST AND GALLANT BOX IN MIDDLETOWN, SEPT. 7

Sporting Editor.—
Chick West of Holyoke, Mass., is to meet Gilbert Gallant at Middletown Athletic Club, Labor Day afternoon for 20 rounds for the lightweight championship of New England, both boys to weigh in at 12 o'clock noon on the day of the contest.
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